

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1,3,4, and 6-9, add claims 10-13, and amend claim 2 and 5.

1. (Cancelled).

2. (Currently amended). A quick-mountable nut according to claim 1 ~~4~~
10, wherein the holding sections (5.1, 5.2; 50.1, 50.2) of the holding member (4;
49) about the wall of the inner cone (9; 48) over respective entire surfaces of the
holding sections (5.1, 5.2; 50.1, 50.2).

3. (Cancelled).

4. (Cancelled).

5. (Currently amended). A quick-mountable nut according to claim 1
10, wherein the nut housing (2, 45) has at least one stop (21; 53) for limiting an
axial displacement of the holding member (4,49).

5. (Cancelled).

6. (Cancelled).

7. (Cancelled).

8. (Cancelled).

9. (Cancelled).

10. (New). A quick-mountable nut capable of at least partially rotation-free, axial displacement relative to a threaded bolt (22; 52), comprising a nut housing (2; 45) having a central through-opening (3; 47); and a springy holding member (4; 49) at least partially located in the nut housing (2; 45) and engaging in at least one screw thread (24; 54), the central through-opening (3; 47) being formed as a tapering radically inward, inner cone (9; 48) for receiving the holding member (4; 49), and the holding member (4; 49) having two, resiliently movable relative to each other, holdings sections (5.1, 5.2; 50.1, 50.2) having each an even wall section abutting a wall of the inner cone (9, 48),

wherein the holding sections (5.1, 5.2) of the holding member (4) each has an annular middle portion (8.1, 8.2; 51.1, 51.2) located in a radial plane of the threaded bolt (22; 52) partially engaging along the screw threads (24; 54) of the threaded bolt (22; 52), and

wherein the annular middle portion (8.1, 8.2) is formed by an extending radially inward offset.

11. (New). A quick-mountable nut capable of at least partially rotation-free, axial displacement relative to a threaded bolt (22; 52), comprising a nut housing (2; 45) having a central through-opening (3; 47); a springy holding member (4; 49) at least partially located in the nut housing (2; 45) and engaging in at least one screw thread (24; 54), the central through-opening (3; 47) being formed as a tapering radially inward, inner cone (9; 48) for receiving the holding member (4; 49), and the holding member (4; 49) having two, resiliently movable relative to each other, holdings sections (5.1, 5.2; 50.1, 50.2) having each an even wall section abutting a wall of the inner cone (9, 48); a cover (31) for covering the nut housing (2); and a wedge (36) supported on the cover (31) and extending radially inward and insertable between free ends (37.1, 37.2) of the holding sections (5.1, 5.2) of the holding member (4).

12. (New). A quick-mountable nut capable of at least partially rotation-free, axial displacement relative to a threaded bolt (22; 52), comprising a nut housing (2; 45) having a central through-opening (3; 47); and a springy holding

member (4; 49) at least partially located in the nut housing (2; 45) and engaging in at least one screw thread (24; 54), the central through-opening (3; 47) being formed as a tapering radially inward, inner cone (9; 48) for receiving the holding member (4; 49), and the holding member (4; 49) having two, resiliently movable relative to each other, holdings sections (5.1, 5.2; 50.1, 50.2) having each an even wall section abutting a wall of the inner cone (9, 48),

wherein the holding sections (5.1, 5.2) of the holding member (4) have each a cantilever arm (7.1, 7.2), the cantilever arms (7.1, 7.2) being arranged opposite each other.

13. (New). A quick-mountable nut capable of at least partially rotation-free, axial displacement relative to a threaded bolt (22; 52), comprising a nut housing (2; 45) having a central through-opening (3; 47); and a springy holding member (4; 49) at least partially located in the nut housing (2; 45) and engaging in at least one screw thread (24; 54), the central through-opening (3; 47) being formed as a tapering radially inward, inner cone (9; 48) for receiving the holding member (4; 49), and the holding member (4; 49) having two, resiliently movable

relative to each other, holdings sections (5.1, 5.2; 50.1, 50.2) having each an even wall section abutting a wall of the inner cone (9,48),

wherein the holding member (4, 49) is formed of a sheet metal by a combined cutting and bending process.